METROPOLITAN EDUCATION COMMISSION YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL/TUCSON TEEN CONGRESS (YAC/TTC) WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2015 PIMA COUNTY LIBRARY LOWER LEVEL MEETING ROOM, 101 N. STONE AVE., TUCSON, ARIZONA MEETINGS MINUTES

Members Present: Maggie Zheng, David Ojeda, Arnoldo Martinez, Leshawn Bowen, Ki Huang, Angel Alcorcha, Ev Essif, Madeline Zheng, Patrick Derrig, Kyle Hetherington, Diego Martinez Barrera, Nia Moran, Aaditee Kudrimoti.

Non-Members Present: Dr. June Webb-Vignery, Pat Wiedhopf, Dr. Kasey Urquidez, Paul Lovelis, Ed Nossem, Dr. Robert Breault, Nancy Rodriguez.

- 1.0 <u>CALL TO ORDER</u> DAVID OJEDA Meeting called to order at 6:05 P.M.
- 2.0 <u>ROLL CALL</u> DAVID OJEDA Roll was called; a quorum of members was present.
- 3.0 <u>PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE</u> DAVID OJEDA The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all attendees.
- 4.0 <u>APPROVAL OF DECEMBER 16, 2015 MEETING MINUTES</u> DAVID OJEDA Motion to approve December 16, 2015 minutes: Kyle Hetherington Second: Leshawn Bowen Minutes approved unanimously.
- 5.0 <u>YAC/TTC FUNDRAISING OPTIONS</u> DAVID OJEDA & ARNOLDO MARTINEZ
 The discussion on YAC/TTC fundraising options and objectives was continued. The
 MEC's Regional College Access Center has procured polo shirts with the MEC logo, and
 we could order the YAC/TTC shirts from that vendor. The restaurant Percentage Night
 idea was agreed as the best short-term fundraising option, and Culver's Restaurant at
 Broadway & Kolb was suggested for a January event. Once the date is set flyers will be
 disseminated to the schools and announced on social media. We will also finalize the
 Donation Letter for further use.
- 6.0 <u>PIMA COUNTY LIBRARY KENDRA DAVEY</u> No action.

7.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Aaditee Kudrimoti provided further information on the Student-Teacher Profile Bill that she had presented on at a previous meeting. The Bill is intended to facilitate the reformation of standardized testing in Arizona. She has worked with a UA professor on the draft, it still needs quantitative measures. They are looking to proctor the test around the city, and asked for help getting it to Student Council sophomores and juniors to get a feel if the hypothesis is true.

8.0 <u>CALL TO THE PUBLIC</u> No action.

9.0 HOLIDAY MIXER No action.

11.0 <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

Motion to approve: Ki Huang Second: Maggie Zheng Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m